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## MRS. L. E. MOREHEAD APPOINTED SHERIFF!

### Funeral of Sheriff Morehead One of Largest Ever Held in This Section

**Beloved and Efficient Brazos County Sheriff Murdered by Mentally Deranged Boy Who Held an Imaginary Grievance of Long Standing—L. E. Morehead Shot Through Window Steep Hollow School as He Was Witnessing Road Show Production—Brothers of Culprit Suspicion Guilty Man and Inform Officers Who Arrest Commodore Bullock—Prisoner Transferred to Grimes County Jail at Anderson Following His Confession of the Murder.**

A tragedy that placed all Brazos county and even surrounding sections in deep mourning, occurred Saturday night at Steep Hollow school house when Sheriff L. E. Morehead was slain by Commodore Bullock, a mentally-deranged youth of that locality who has held an imaginary grievance against this popular and efficient peace officer for more than a year. The sheriff and a crowded school-room were witnessing a road show being staged at that school throughout the week, when the noise of a report deafened the people. At first everyone thought the noise but a part of the magician's show and it was some moments before they realized that murder had been committed and that the beloved sheriff was the victim. Then pandemonium reigned for a time until cooler heads organized a posse and scoured the bottoms for trace of the murderer.

#### SHOT THROUGH WINDOW.

The sheriff was shot through a window, the charge of a shotgun being fired from close range and lodging in the rear or back of the head, which was almost completely blown away. He sagged forward in his seat and the tragedy went almost unnoticed for some moments, before realization came. As soon as news reached the city, Chief of Police W. S. Martin and Officers Offa Williams, John Conlee and Charley Saxton, drove out to the scene of the crime to investigate. They returned to Bryan with Commodore Bullock a prisoner and within a short time had taken down his confession to the murder and had him on the way to Anderson, Grimes county seat, for detention.

The arrest of the slayer came on information obtained from his brothers who suspected him because of threats made a year ago. One of the brothers—when informed by the children as they returned from the show, of the shooting—who was sick in bed, got up, dressed, and walked three miles to the places where Commodore Bullock resided with another brother, to get at the truth of the matter. Having learned that Commodore came in about five minutes after the shooting, said Chief W. S. Martin, who told the above story, he immediately got word to the officers that Commodore, his brother, was guilty of the shooting. The officers then proceeded to the home and placed the culprit under arrest and later his confession was made as recorded above.

The funeral services for Sheriff L. E. Morehead were held in the courtroom at the court house, a room where the sheriff has officially served for nearly three terms, at 5:15 o'clock Sunday afternoon, conducted by Dr. Jno. A. Held, pastor of the First Baptist church of Bryan, of which Mr. Morehead had been a member from the age of 18, and interment followed in the Bryan Cemetery. Judge W. C. Davis, of the 84th District Court, gave a touching and eloquent tribute and eulogy at the close of the funeral sermon.

#### Funeral Set Record.

The funeral was the largest, in point of attendance, ever held in Brazos county, 4,000 people being the conservative estimate placed on those who came to pay the last mark of respect and esteem to one whom they had loved in life and love in death. The court room was packed, corridors and hallways were filled, people stood on the court house lawn and others waited in their cars. Cars were packed about the

### EVANS HOME ON THE COLLEGE ROAD IS SOLD

H. H. Williamson of College and T. B. Wood have closed a contract with C. M. Evans of Dallas by which they become joint owners of the C. M. Evans farm on College road about two miles from Bryan. This place includes 77 acres under fence with two story house fronting east on College road and extends back to the L. G. N. tracks on the west. It is known as one of the most valuable and desirable pieces of property on the College road. Mr. Wood and family will occupy the home after it has been thoroughly renovated and improved, with all modern conveniences added. Mr. Williamson contemplates at a very early date to build a handsome home on the vacant lots just south of the present house to be occupied by Mr. Wood and family.

### PRESIDENT LAWRENCE CALLS SPECIAL MEET FOR WEDNESDAY MORN

At the regular Tuesday morning meeting of the Bryan and Brazos County Chamber of Commerce at the club rooms this morning, President John M. Lawrence announced a special called meeting of all officers and committee chairmen of the Chamber to meet Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Secretary Eberstadt reported on his trip to Palestine and Longview, stating that he talked Chamber of Commerce and Bryan Building and Loan at both places. He talked for 1 hour and 50 minutes at Palestine at a night gathering and made a talk during the day at Longview for a total of 2 hours and 20 minutes. The Secretary reported that the people of those cities seemed especially interested in the Bryan plan of B. & L. and in the plan used in Bryan of getting rid of fake solicitors and moochers. The Secretary also stated that he would like to see a story from and about Bryan or Brazos county in every state daily paper every day. This matter was referred to the city development committee. Col. Ashburn then developed the idea as to feature stories in state publications and suggested that the secretary extend an invitation to such papers to send feature story writers to Bryan to gather data. A motion to this effect carried.

**Allen Swimming Pool.** F. Pierson and George Butler, cadet students at Allen Military Academy, were present at the meeting this morning and set before the assembly the plan of Allen for building a swimming pool at the grounds and mentioned that the play Wednesday night was for the purpose of obtaining funds for this movement. They further stated that the pool would net them \$600 and the pool required a fund of \$700 and asked the Chamber of Commerce for the difference. This matter was referred to the city development committee. As an inducement to the donation of this sum the boys added that when Allen was not in session, during the summer months, the pool would be thrown open to the people of Bryan. The committee is to go out to the Allen institution and make investigation and confer with Allen authorities and report back a plan and render such assistance as the committee believed necessary.

**Health Week in Bryan.** E. E. McAdams, city manager, reported that the Clean Up Health Week had been deferred in Bryan to Sunday, April 13, and would continue for that week. The mayor will issue a proclamation. A motion was carried that the Chamber strongly endorse the Health Week and pledge its co-operation in rendering assistance to same.

L. L. McInnis made a motion which carried that a committee of three, of which Oak McKenzie should be chairman, be appointed to draft resolutions on the death of our late sheriff, L. E. Morehead. President Lawrence appointed as associate members of the committee L. L. McInnis and J. Webb Howell. Those present at this morning's meeting were: Ike Ashburn, W. H. Cole, J. E. Covey, J. N. Dunaway, E. H. Edge, E. J. Fountain, Tyler Haswell, J. Webb Howell, J. M. Gordon, John M. Lawrence, T. K. Lawrence, E. E. McAdams, J. O. Morgan, L. L. McInnis, M. L. Parker, Mrs. Lee J. Rountree, and A. M. Waldrop.

**EMMETT HOLLAND OF EDGE LOST BIG BARN BY FIRE FRIDAY NIGHT—LIGHTNING**

A blaze that lighted up the countryside around Edge last night was caused by the burning of the big barn of Emmett Holland, which, it is said, was struck by lightning. He got his stock out, but lost about \$2,000 on the structure and contents, which latter included harness, saddles, etc. The fire blazed up, making a bright light for a long radius, all during a heavy down-pour of rain, Edge getting a much greater precipitation than Bryan.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES FOR BRAZOS COUNTY

The following is a list of the marriage licenses issued since the previous publication of last week, according to the official records of County Clerk A. S. McSwain: Douglas W. Howell and Annie Olive Emory, Frank Ripper and Mrs. Mazie Knobel, Sam Cooper and Ora Lee Emerson, Tobie Washington and Fannie Craft, Elisha Collins and Little Bryant.

## J. E. COVEY NAMED AS FIRST DEPUTY

**NEW DEPUTY WILL HAVE CHARGE ALL DUTIES OF SHERIFF'S OFFICE.**

### FINISH HUSBAND'S TERM

(From Tuesday's Daily.) At a special called meeting of the commissioners court, held at ten o'clock this morning in the room of the county commissioners, at the court house in Bryan, Mrs. L. E. Morehead was unanimously appointed as sheriff to fill out the unexpired term of her husband, the late L. E. Morehead. Mrs. Morehead had made bond and fully qualified before noon today. Every commissioner was present at the meeting this morning as follows: C. M. Degelia, C. M. Risinger, John Sabo, John M. Moore, County Judge H. O. Ferguson, presiding. **COVEY NAMED DEPUTY.** Mrs. L. E. Morehead, newly appointed sheriff, today appointed J. E. Covey, manager of the Cole Hardware Company, deputy-sheriff and manager of all duties pertaining to the sheriff's office. The appointment of the deputy was made shortly after the noon hour.

#### A WISE DECISION.

J. E. Covey stated this afternoon that he was getting into communication with the executive or peace officers throughout the county and expected to call them together in a conference session at which time he would lay out plans and make appointments. The general public seems agreed with the Eagle that Mrs. Morehead could not have chosen more wisely than to have named Mr. Covey as the head of her deputies and manager of the sheriff's office work. He is well-known throughout the county and will give the work his best attention and when he does that, the public can rest assured that the office is safe in his hands and that he will reflect credit upon the county and its citizens. Mrs. Morehead, many have been heard to say, can be commended for choosing so wisely.

### EVANGELISTIC PARTY OFF TO NEW ORLEANS

Dr. J. Ernest Thacker, evangelist, accompanied by T. B. Roddy, singer and song-leader, and Mrs. Roddy, pianist, left on the afternoon H. & T. C. for New Orleans where they will open a series of revival meetings at the Carrollton Presbyterian church in that city. Dr. Thacker said that he had conducted services in many places but had never been in a city where there was such a unity of spirit and co-operation as existed in Bryan, especially among the members of the Bryan Pastors' Association. He said that it had been a great pleasure to have worked for and with them during the short two weeks just past.

### PHOTOGRAPH STUDIO BEEN OPENED OVER M'COLLOCH-GORDON CO.

Bryan has a new business establishment of the first order and a second photograph studio, one just now being opened up over the McCulloch-Gordon Furniture Store, and to be known as "The White Rose." Gorzycki and Orsak are the proprietors. Mr. Gorzycki has recently resigned with the Experiment Station at College, where he served as technical assistant. He is widely known in the photograph business and operated a studio here several years ago. Some of his work can still be found in Brazos county and Bryan homes. He was one of the ten men awarded "Solar Honors" at the convention of Southwestern Professional Photographers at Dallas last September.

Mr. Orsak is also making rapid strides in the production of high-class portraits. He holds, besides his diploma from the Chicago College of Photography, one certificate of merit awarded by the College Camera Club of Effingham, Illinois, for retouching; also one for coloring from the same college.

A visit by the reporter to "The White Rose" found it being fitted up with the best and most modern equipment and accessories on the market to give the city a second studio that will turn out first-class work. The new business establishment will be opened by Saturday or the first of the week at the latest.

County Superintendent D. J. McDonald and W. L. Hughes, instructor at College, went to Edge and May today on business in connection with the educational survey in Brazos county.

### REPORT RENDERED ON STATE CONFERENCE OF MISSIONARY SOCIETY

As it was the fifth Monday and no program in the Year Book for the day, the Methodist Woman's Missionary Society groups were asked to meet at Church Stewardship, which is presented each quarter, and to hear the reports from the delegates to the state conference meeting of the Society at Texarkana, March 11-14. Because of illness of those asked to take part the program on Stewardship could not be carried out as planned. A new feature was introduced at this meeting, the singing of the song, "When Methodists All Learn How to Tith," which was sung at conference. All the members seemed to enjoy the singing of this new song. After the song and prayer, a few verses of scripture on tithing were read.

#### Mrs. Goodwin's Report.

Mrs. J. N. Goodwin, past-president of the conference this year, gave her report which she did in her usual interesting manner. She stated that Mrs. J. M. Mills of Beaumont was re-elected conference president and Mrs. N. M. Wycoff of Madisonville re-elected district secretary of the Texas, our district.

There were many interesting speakers at the conference, said Mrs. Goodwin. Bishop Moore brought a message of the work of the church today, including the Centenary, Education and Superannuate Endowment Fund. Mrs. P. L. Cobb, Nashville, Tennessee, Council Superintendent of Young People, and Miss Althea Jones, Houston, Council Superintendent of Children's Work, were our helpers, and gave devotional, intellectual and inspirational help on all lines and wherever needed. Rev. E. W. Potter gave a splendid lecture on the Week-Day Bible School as conducted in Waxahachie. Miss Mary Lamar, Bennett College, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil; Deaconess Grace Gatewood, Co-Operative Home, Houston; Deaconess Clea Kennedy, Japanese Work, Terry; Miss Sophia Mount, Pastor's Assistant, First Church, Beaumont, gave the devotionals and interesting accounts of their activities.

Mention was made that work had been in progress for one month on the Helen Kirby Dormitory at Austin, and that when the University opened in the fall, the Society hoped that the building would be ready to receive 100 girls from Methodist homes. It was also stated that \$2,000 more money was needed at once.

Some of the needs stressed were: Leaders for young people and children. Many divisions were lost the past year for lack of leaders. There will be no one to carry on the work if the young are not trained. It was suggested that stronger societies should be big sister to weaker ones and assist them in their work. Also that the Society and the members take an increased interest in young people and children's organizations in their own churches. Do personal work, invite new members and take them to meetings. The needs stressed closed with this appeal: "Be enthusiastic for God. Missions has rightly been called the Biggest Business in the World. Christ gave His life for it. What has the Society and its members given?"

### MRS. MARY ANZELLO WAS BURIED TUESDAY

Mrs. Mary Anzello, aged 69 years, died at the family home, 4 miles northeast of Bryan, Monday evening at 5:15 o'clock. Mrs. Anzello was a native of Italy but had been a resident of Brazos county for 24 years. Besides the aged husband, she is survived by one son, Sam Anzello, of Bryan. Funeral services were held from the home Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 p. m. and at St. Anthony's church at 2 o'clock, conducted by Father Thos. Barra. Burial was in the Bryan Catholic Cemetery, under the direction of McCulloch-Gordon Co., funeral directors. The pallbearers were: Sam Carabo, Mike Depuma, B. C. Cash, Joe Salvato, T. M. Otea, Luke Restivo.

### ATTORNEY-GENERAL IS NAMED BY COOLIDGE

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Apr. 2.—Harlan Fiske Stone, of New York, until recently dean of Columbia University Law School, has been selected by President Calvin Coolidge as attorney general. He is a native of New Hampshire and a graduate of Amherst. He is 51 years old.

J. H. and E. R. Lloyd of Kurten were Bryan visitors today.

## TEXAS NET CONTAINER LAW BEEN DECLARED AGAINST CONSTITUTION

**Court of Criminal Appeals at Austin Gives Latest Ruling on Appeal from Lower Courts—Law Demanded Net Contents in Quantity or Weight be Plainly Marked on the Container.**

(By Associated Press)

AUSTIN, April 2.—The State Net Container Law, requiring package goods to be marked with net weight, and prescribing penalties for short weight, was declared unconstitutional today by the Court of Criminal Appeals. The ruling was given in the appeal of A. C. Overt, of Grayson county, manager of the Diamond Mill and Elevator Company, who was prosecuted on a charge of selling sack flour alleged to be under-weight.

### MAC M'PHEE IN JAIL CHARGE OF FORGERY

A check was cashed on Tuesday night about 20 minutes before 6 o'clock, made out to Mac McPhee and purporting to have been signed by F. E. Shelton, at the W. J. Coulter Co. store. McPhee is now in the county jail on a charge of forgery as a result of the occurrence, said Officer H. T. Wheelless, this morning. When suspicion first grew into a seeming certainty, Officer H. T. Wheelless was put on the case. He found that McPhee had left town but finally learned that he had gone to Navasota. Local officers there located him and took him in custody. Wheelless then went to Navasota and brought him back to Bryan.

#### His Third Offense.

This is the third known case wherein McPhee has passed checks with Shelton's name on them, it is said. The first was to the Metropolitan Barber Shop a week ago Saturday, for \$20; the second was to H. Block's clothing store for \$40. The last mentioned check was cashed on last Saturday, said Mr. Block, and on Monday morning McPhee came in to ask that the check be held and he would take it up on Monday night. Monday night, Mr. Block added, he failed to appear and Tuesday morning he told Mr. Block that he could go ahead and cash the check. Block took it to the bank and was told that the check would be alright but that the party signing it had no right to do so. Block saw McPhee on the street Tuesday afternoon, late, and the latter took up the check. McPhee also paid the Metropolitan Barber Shop, according to the manager there, on Saturday night. Shelton, who is manager for the Conatello well, being put down near Bryan, is said to be out of town at this time. McPhee is employed under Mr. Shelton.

### COLLEGE AND BRYAN DELEGATES RETURN FROM FEDERATION MEETING

Mrs. A. K. Short, Mrs. Lamar Jones, Mrs. B. Youngblood and Mrs. R. R. Lancaster of College have returned from Belton, where they attended the Fourth District meeting of Federated Club. They report a very successful meeting. Bryan and College women were greatly honored by the Federation. Mrs. W. S. Howell responded to the addresses of welcome. Mrs. B. Youngblood presided on President's evening; Mrs. Maggie W. Barry and Miss M. Helen Higgins, state home demonstration agent, both appeared on the program for splendid talks. Mesdames Short, Jones and Lancaster each gave splendid reports from their respective clubs.

### NEW CARS REGISTERED FOR BRAZOS COUNTY

The following is a list of the new cars registered for Brazos county since the last previous publication last week, and according to the official records of County Tax Collector Roy Hudspeth: C. L. Brown, Houston; Miss Elva Trant, Bryan; J. Tom Smith, Bryan; O. M. Ward, Goose Creek; Mrs. G. F. Ashford, College Station; J. M. Wisoski, Bryan; M. T. Reedy, College Station; Joe Sosolik, Bryan; Willie Hudson, Bryan; W. C. Geyer, College Station; R. C. Franks, Bryan; Herbert Smith, Tabor; Western Public Service Company, Bryan; Henry George, Bryan; W. A. Carter, Bryan; B. L. Foster, Bryan.

Mrs. Ben Powers is reported quite ill with la grippe. She resides on the Hearne road about a mile from town. Mrs. Powers has just returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Patterson, at San Antonio. Mrs. Patterson has two small daughters just recovering from pneumonia.

## FOUR DEAD IN MICHIGAN FIRE

**SIX OTHERS ARE INJURED AND PROPERTY LOSS IS ABOUT A QUARTER MILLION**

### TWO JUMPED WINDOWS

(By Associated Press.) GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Apr. 2.—Four persons dead, six injured, and several missing makes up the casualty list of a fire that destroyed the Livingston Hotel here last night with a property loss estimated at a quarter of a million dollars. The dead are: Bessie Marlowe, aged 32, of Reed City, Mich.; Giles Wade, aged 70, of Grand Rapids, and Edward Sargent of Saint Paul, Minnesota. Miss Marlowe and Sargent received fatal injuries when they jumped from the hotel window. The charred body of Wade was found in the ruins today. The origin of the fire is unknown. Miss Jennie Vans, aged 60, died in the hospital here today. She jumped from a fourth story window.

### BENCHLEY BUDGET

(Special to Bryan Daily Eagle.) BENCHLEY, Apr. 2.—Lige Broadus and others of Bethany were here one day last week.

Mrs. Bill Peyton and baby of Calvert, and brothers, H. P. and Claud, and sister, Lila Moss, and Guy Winstead of Sutton were here Sunday.

Ansel Boswell and Lee Josey of Hearne were here Sunday.

Henry Seale and son, Frank, were business visitors in Hearne one day last week.

Gus Bade, Clyde Bowman, John Peyton, Jr., and Joe Jurosko motored to Calvert Sunday to visit the former's brother, Rudolph Bade.

Misses Lois and Eula Henry and Sherman Buffalo of Tabor were Benchley visitors Saturday. They were accompanied home by Hugh Rice and sister, Miss Effie, who attended the Elliott dance at Tabor.

Curtis Elliott, Ross Cameron, Bud Henry and sisters, Misses Ola, Lois and Eula visited at the Rice home Sunday night.

H. W. Boyles of Hearne was here Sunday.

Mrs. G. W. Seale has returned to her home in Houston after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Halton.

John Haygood and family of Cameron attended church here Sunday. John Bowman, Ross Seale and Joe Jurosko motored to Bryan today.

Walter Harris of Sutton was in Bryan Saturday so we understand. There is still some measles in our neighborhood.

Mrs. J. E. Cameron and children of Tabor were Benchley visitors Monday.

We, our community, are very sorry to hear of L. E. Morehead's tragic death.

Success to all. **CURLY LOCKS.** **AN EYE FOR AN EYE AND A TOOTH FOR A TOOTH**

Because some one stole a seat cushion out of his car a week preceding, at a dance, the son of a prominent Bohemian farmer of near Bryan, whose name was not learned, proceeded to get another one. As he did not get the same seat back but another's, the loser set up a complaint. The cushion was found at the boy's home and he is in trouble with authorities as a consequence, but the father has promised to make the matter right.

Mrs. Annie Ware, who has been suffering from an attack of measles is reported much improved which will be glad news to her many friends.



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### IN MEMORIAM

In the tragic death of Sheriff L. E. Morehead, Bryan and Brazos county lost a good citizen and an efficient officer. A real man was he. A conscientious and unimpeachable officer, an upright and progressive citizen, ever ready and anxious to serve. Through his courage, bravery and diligence, he won distinction as a sheriff throughout Texas, an officer to be trusted and depended upon and he continued to deserve and hold that distinction by never failing to practice the ethics of justice tempered with kindness in his official capacity. Bryan will sorely miss L. E. Morehead, the sheriff, and the man.

### COMMUNITY FAIRS

The old-time county fair is just about a thing of the past. It served a good purpose and had its drawbacks. In the early day when means of transportation and communication had not been developed to the efficient stage of today, it furnished a medium for bringing all people of the section together, for a display of products of the farm and home, and it also formed one of the few means of entertainment that took place within the year.

Now, we have specialized on fair and instead of the entertainment feature being stressed which took money from the community and placed it in the hands of transients, we stress the display features today. We have specialized the fairs and brought them down to a smaller basis of the community. The community fair is a better and more efficient plan than that of the county. It brings the home neighborhood people together and shows what each family in the community is doing in the way of progressing agriculturally.

Community fairs are being arranged in nearly every section of Brazos county at this time. No one community wants to be left behind in this progressive and forward-looking day and those who have not yet planned some community work along this line should not delay longer. The time to plan a community fair is now, and set dates that will not conflict with other community fairs in other sections as many people will want to visit all of them and learn what other sections do. It is also necessary to grow their agricultural exhibits and why not plan the growth of better agriculture exhibits instead of depending upon the regular run of the fields. Now is the time—let's get down to work.

### IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

William Wrigley, Jr., the chewing gum king of Chicago, in explaining the rapid growth of his company said it was all due to advertising.

"But," interrupted one of his friends traveling with him to the Pacific Coast, "you have already built up a remarkable business. Why not save some of this advertising money and run along on momentum for a while?"

"Well," Mr. Wrigley said, "we have made a fine, fast trip from Chicago so far. How much progress do you think we would make if they took off the engine?"

"At every word a reputation dies," is certainly applicable to the oil lease investigation just now going on at the National Capital. Every day new attacks are made and every day new victims are brought into the limelight. This is presidential election year and the records of the past show that election years are conducive of showers of mud. Men, congressmen, should be careful what they say because they can do an almost incredible amount of harm by creating in the minds of many that there are few honest men holding public office. This is not true. And we refuse to even entertain the thought until the facts are all in and prove beyond a question a doubt our government officials are dishonest.

He who labors for love has a memory of sunshine to cheer along after the trail becomes dim and the pathway shaded. If for ambition, the ashes of a yesterday often arise to confront and mock; if for money, then the clang of the gong lashes the satellites to a fury beyond curken and all is dress. After all there can only be a fleeting day of material things and we slave on reaching not that this is true without a doubt. A mess of pottage by any other name would mean just the same but might not sound so harsh. —Richardson Echo.

There is absolutely no such thing as failure for the spirit that refuses to be conquered. God made us for today and for eternity and our kinship with the Divine is evidenced by the power we have to "come back" though broken by adversity and grief. "If at first you don't succeed, try, try again."

### BE KIND TO THE ERRING

Brethren, if a man be overtaken in a fault, ye which are spiritual, restore such an one in the spirit of meekness, considering thyself, lest thou also be tempted.—Gal. 6:1

### WHERE TO TRADE

What a wise old world this would be if we could all profit by the experiences of the multitudes who have gone before and suffered for us that we might not have to endure the same things in our own lives. Yet, how few of us will profit by the wisdom of the ages—we all have to go through the same things before we accept our lesson and know, from our own viewpoint, that certain things are so. We sometimes wonder if it is of any use to advise people to do or not to do certain things. Anyway our consciences are clear if we have told them and then they go ahead their own way.

A housewife must have been swindled from one to a dozen times by fake house-to-house canvassers who have extracted a down-payment and vanished from the locality forevermore, they must have been hoodwinked and faked by solicitor after solicitor before they have learned that they would have saved money, time, trouble and expense, besides hours of worry and fussing, if they could have given their orders to home merchants who must give satisfaction for their business life depends upon it. They could not long exist in our little community were they crooks and fakers and swindlers. They are not here today and gone tomorrow. They live here, spend money here, pay taxes here, are a part of the city, and they are our neighbors and friends. Giving them your business builds up the city; giving it to outside cities, tears down and wrecks the city of which we should be justly proud or get out of it and move to one that we can be proud of.

The moral, of course, is to trade at home.

### COMMUNITY SPIRIT

"The Man Without A Country" did not appreciate his citizenship or his native land, until both were taken from him. Too often do we not appreciate a person, place or thing until we are deprived of it or its services. And just as often do we reside in a community and think nothing of what we owe to that community in sectional pride. There is a patriotism to home, to neighborhood, to community and so on up to the greatest community of all, the world. We should not be lacking in loyalty to any one of these, but support them all. We should believe in our home over any other home and give it our best support, care and loyalty. We should uphold our neighborhood over all other neighborhoods; we should believe in our community over all other communities and we should band together with all other communities to make Brazos county stand for all that is best and for her future glory. This illustration might continue indefinitely.

Herein we shall deal primarily with communities for we believe that much good work can be done in this line. Not that Brazos communities are in need of evangelistic work, but we believe they could be placed on even a higher plane than they now hold with a little assistance and the infusion of pep.

Taber, Edge and Kurten communities have become known all over Texas for their boys' and girls' club work. They are known everywhere as live sections and we believe that a large part of the credit can be given to the community and literary society clubs that bring the people of the neighborhood together in friendly and get-acquainted and talk-to-meetings frequently. And if every community in Brazos county can be induced to organize a community welfare club, or a similar organization, we believe that Brazos county will go on the map of the state in red ink and become a byword for progress wherever loyalty and community advancement is recognized.

There are those in Bryan who stand ready and willing to assist any community to organize such a club. Among them are: County Agent C. L. Beason, County Home Demonstration Agent Miss Laura Belle Roten, Secretary S. E. Eberstadt, and H. D. Cuykendall of the Bryan Eagle. These people, one or more, if not all of them, are available to the unorganized communities, on nights where meetings are not regularly scheduled. They have the spirit of service, community and county advancement at heart and realize that when one community progresses, in just such proportion does the county reap the benefit.

Just drop a card or a note to the Eagle office, stating on what date you plan to hold your organization meeting, and someone will be on hand to help you furnish the evening's entertainment to attract a representative crowd and to start the good work to going.

Let's plan to organize one community a week from now on until all are lined up and carrying on.

### DR. BARCUS PRESIDENT

Now that Dr. J. Sam Barcus has been selected to be president of Southwestern University at Georgetown, the friends of the institution can feel that the problems for the future success of the school have been solved and the historic old institution as in the past fifty years will continue to play a vital part in the educational system of Texas in serving the youth of the State. Thousands of Texas men and women have gotten their training and vision of right living from old Southwestern and many of them are outstanding leaders in political, commercial and religious circles of today. Dr. Barcus, a minister and educator of long experience, and an alumnus of the school, is known from one end of Texas to the other and has the confidence of the people both in and out of his church. This, an added asset to his splendid qualifications by education, temperament, personality and family prestige lead the friends of the institution to know that a new era of service is dawning for Southwestern. Texas and Texas Methodists are with you, Dr. Barcus, all eyes forward for a greater Southwestern.

## LARGE DELEGATION OF BRYAN PEOPLE AT RELIANCE ON SUNDAY

The Brazos County Baptist Association met in a Fifth Sunday meeting at Reliance Baptist church Sunday, B. Y. P. U.'s and Sunday schools of this denomination in the county were represented. Bryan and Edge B. Y. P.'s put on programs and reports were given from other churches and organizations. A large delegation of about 25 people were present from Bryan at the meeting. Ida Bell Pipkin is president of the County Association, Clarence Elwell of College, vice-president and Mrs. R. W. Persons, secretary. At 11 o'clock hour, Dr. John A. Held, pastor of the First Baptist church, Bryan, gave a splendid address on "God's Call to Young People". Rev. R. L. Brown of College gave the address of the afternoon on "What the Churches Owe the Young People Today." Everything went off splendidly and according to program. A fine meeting was the characterization given it by all present. A bountiful basket dinner was served on the church lawn with plenty and to spare for all. Among those present from Bryan were: County Home Demonstration Agent Miss Laura Belle Roten, Miss Mattie Lou Smith, Miss Adele Hall, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Baten, Mrs. R. W. Persons, Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Brown, Charles Ball, Miss Gillian Moore, Dr. John A. Held, Rev. J. J. Pipkin, James Pipkin, Lida Belle Pipkin, Charley Crawford, Pat Newton, Elizabeth Held, Evelyn Crawford, Henry A. Robinson, of College, Miss Alta Williams, Richard Grant and Lonnie Locke.

### FORMER BRYAN CITIZEN.

The Eagle is in receipt of a letter from Dr. George R. Taber, a former Bryan citizen now in Oklahoma City, Okla., asking that his name be added to the subscription list.

### NEW FARM HOME

Ed Carl of the Rock Prairie community is making plans for the building of a new modern home with all conveniences, work to begin at once, on his farm place on the Sulphur Springs road, twelve miles from Bryan. Mr. Carl is to be congratulated on investing in a beautiful home, when all the farmers of Brazos county get comfortable and convenient homes, farm life will be so attractive there will be few people abandoning it.

## EBERSTADT BROUGHT HOME THE BACON

Secretary S. E. Eberstadt of the Bryan Chamber of Commerce brought back with him from his recent trip to Palestine and Longview a few seed of the famous honey ball cantaloupe which has made Ft. Worth famous. Others have tried to get a few of these seed but failed, report always coming back that none would be available for distribution until 1925. Just how Sam got these seed is not known, but characteristic of him he always "brings back the goods." These seed have been turned over to County Agent C. L. Beason, who will distribute them to a few farmers interested in this fine melon.

## MEMBERS OF COTTON ASSOCIATION JOYFUL OVER HIGH RETURNS

According to Field Manager D. S. Buchanan, the Brazos county cotton growers who are members of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association and delivered their 1923 crop to be sold co-operatively are in high spirits now as they are just in receipt of another payment on their crop. This is the second distribution made by the Association in addition to \$70.00 per bale advanced on day of delivery. The payment just received gives each grower 25c per pound, middling basis, net. The final payment will be made sometime in June.

The Association has handled 182,000 bales this season and up-to-date has distributed \$23,186,866.72 to its grower members. This last distribution amounted to \$5,360,970.71.

P. H. Poole, president, Brazos County Farm Bureau, states that his payments give him 26c per pound on account of the excellent grade of his cotton.

The Association is making a determined drive in every section of the state at present and many new members are reported to have joined in Brazos county recently.

### SON LOCAL FAMILY ON WAY TO CHINA WITH MARINES OF U. S. NAVY

Johnnie Ramsey, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Ramsey, this city, in the U. S. Marine at San Diego, California, has just recently returned with his unit from a trip to the Hawaiian Islands and is now on route to China on another cruise. The ship left San Francisco last Thursday.

The measure of the success of any life is neither its freedom from hardship and heartache nor the smoothness of the road it travels. Divine disapproval is not evidenced by what we have to bear a day to endure. The Father has a service which he needs to have done and with which he entrusts us, though so often we cannot understand. Even when we have brought upon ourselves limitations and burdens and crosses, the Father will help us to make of them occasion whereby we shall attain to greater power and to deeper understanding. Go bravely on; God is using you for your own good and for some purpose of eternal moment.—San Antonio Express.

Happy is the man that findeth wisdom, and the man that getteth understanding. For the merchandise of it is better than the merchandise of silver, and the gain thereof than fine gold.—Proverbs iii:13-14.

## FOUR ROTARIANS OF CITY TO CONVENTION AT WICHITA FALLS

D. L. Wilson, president-elect of the Bryan Rotary Club; J. T. S. Park, secretary, and W. B. Cline, secretary-treasurer-elect; left today for Wichita Falls to attend the Rotary convention on the 26-27-28 inst. Gabe Cuzell, premier songster, left Monday to be there and arrange for the songs which he will lead at the convention by request of those in charge of entertainment and arrangements.

## COUNTY AGENT FINDS MILKILAN WILD OVER A. I. RED EGG SETTINGS

(From Tuesday's Daily.) County Agent C. L. Beason delivered 9 settings of Rhode Island Red eggs to the Milkilans on Monday and got requests for 10 more settings while at the meeting. This makes 25 to 30 dozen settings of Rhode Island Reds distributed among club members of Milkilans alone, on the terms that each club member is to return to the breeder one pullet in the fall and show at least one pen from each setting in the county poultry show.

Fifteen colored trainees from Prairie View State Normal accompanied by the negro co-ordinator, Will Evans, will arrive in Brazos county on Wednesday for the purpose of purchasing standard-bred chickens. These colored ex-soldiers being given training at Prairie View are raising poultry as a part of their year's project and have come to Brazos to get standard bred poultry, as the government requires that they raise that class of poultry. Brazos, their reputation is growing—keep it constantly on the upward trend.

## LIONS WILL ASSIST HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARY TO GET NEEDED BOOKS

(From Tuesday's Daily.) At today's luncheon of the Lions Club at Hotel Bryan the program was of a varied and impromptu nature. It was voted that henceforth luncheon fees would be upon a flat basis of four dollars per month. A precedent was established when Oliver J. Parks presented the club with an enlarged photo of past-president R. V. Armstrong. A rented piano has heretofore been in use, but today it was purchased outright. The club voted unanimously to enter the eight weeks' full attendance contest just inaugurated by the Lions International. The Club having already gone on record as favoring and offering to assist an interested committee of ladies from the Women's Club in securing necessary books for the high school to maintain its credit ratings, the committee composed of Mesdames S. C. Williams, W. B. Cline and C. A. Searcy, had been invited as luncheon guests and were heard with reference to the needs in question. President Searcy appointed Messrs. C. R. Gardner, W. N. Sholl and M. M. Erskine as a Lions' committee to meet with the ladies' committee to work out definite plans for getting a money-raising campaign under way, this plan to be submitted in full at next Tuesday's meeting.

Lions present were: President C. A. Searcy, Rev. W. N. Sholl, Rev. R. L. Brown, J. B. Christian, C. R. Gardner, R. V. Armstrong, H. I. Hood, W. E. Neely, H. S. Locke, Pat Newton, J. E. Hensarling, P. A. Tardy, Tom Suber, O. J. Parks, W. W. Chambers, Jess M. Cook, J. Coulter Smith, C. S. Martin, Chas. Wetters, J. W. Hall, L. L. Stephens, M. M. Erskine, H. H. Young, Hugo Jahn and John Hunt. Visitors: Mesdames Searcy, Williams and Cline, Miss Ruth Knox, pianist, and Roy C. Vick.

## SMALL CHILD OF MR. AND MRS. DEGLIA DIED THIS MORNING

Luke Deglia, aged 2 years, 2 months and 22 days, little son of County Commissioner and Mrs. C. M. Deglia, died at an early hour Thursday morning at the family residence on North Bryan Street. Pneumonia was given as the cause of death. Besides parents, the child is survived by four brothers: Joe, John, Sam and Frank, and three sisters: Lena, Annie and Carrie, all of Bryan.

Funeral services were held from the home at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon and at St. Anthony's church at 2:15, conducted by Father Thomas Barra. Burial was in the Bryan Catholic Cemetery, with the McCulloch-Gordon Company, funeral directors, in charge of arrangements.

## WILL JONES LOST 350 CHICKS IN BROODER

Will M. Jones, who formerly operated a city dairy and was interested in chickens in connection, and who gave up his milk business to engage in the poultry line more extensively, suffered the misfortune of losing 350 standardbred baby chicks on Wednesday night when an explosion occurred in his brooder in which they were housed. This is quite a heavy loss, not only from the immediate financial standpoint, but from the matter of time lost in growing the chicks.

### AGED NERESS DIED AT HOME IN BRYAN

Eliza McQueen, a negress of great age, and a long-time resident of Bryan, who came here in the very earliest days, died yesterday. She was buried under the auspices of the S. M. T., a negro association, with the Bryan Undertaking Co., colored undertakers, in charge.

J. W. Thompson of Edge was greeting Bryan friends today.

## MRS. H. H. PRAGER IS DEAD—SERVICES HELD ON FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. Etta L. Prager, aged 44 years, died at 5:10 o'clock Thursday afternoon after a lingering illness of several years. She is survived by her husband, H. H. Prager, and one child, Harry, Jr. The funeral services were held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. L. H. Tucker, conducted by Rev. H. C. Willis, pastor of the First Methodist church. Services at the grave were in charge of Bryan Chapter, No. 222, Order of the Eastern Star, and interment in Bryan Cemetery. The pall bearers were: M. M. Erskine, J. E. Covey, H. E. Randolph, W. J. Buchanan, A. K. Brown, J. D. Martin, L. R. Benning, Frank B. Brown. The entire Chapter of the Eastern Star will be honorary pall bearers. The interment services were conducted by Mrs. J. M. Dunn, worthy matron; H. E. Randolph, worthy patron; Mrs. E. E. Yeager, associate worthy matron; Mrs. Oak McKenzie, conductress; Mrs. Dora Wilson, associate conductress; Mrs. Tom Higgs, warden; John Hunt, sentinel; Mrs. M. M. Erskine, secretary; M. M. Erskine, treasurer; Mrs. Henry L. Locke, Ada; Miss Annie Deering, Ruth; Mrs. R. L. Brown, Esther; Mrs. H. P. Smith, Martha; Mrs. J. B. Priddy, Electra. Miss Etta Love Street was born in Orange, Texas, March 27, 1880, and was married to Mr. H. H. Prager at Globe, Arizona, where she had gone for her health, on April 21, 1910. To this union was born one son, Harry, Jr., now aged 18. The Pragers have lived in Bryan for the past three years, coming here from Houston where they resided for many years. In Houston, as elsewhere, they acquired a large circle of close friends. Mrs. Prager was an ardent worker in church and fraternal circles and prominent socially. She was a member of the Woodmen's Circle of Houston. After coming to Bryan, Mrs. Prager continued her work in these lines and in church work also. She was an enthusiastic worker in both church and Sunday school, being a member of the Methodist church. She is also past council commander of the Maccabees, and Association Worthy Matron of the Bryan Chapter, No. 222, Order of the Eastern Star.

She has been a partial invalid throughout her life and has been in more serious condition for the past seven years. Mrs. Virginia Delano of Orange, only sister of Mrs. H. H. Prager, and her son, Roy, were called to Bryan from Orange to attend the funeral as was also Mrs. Robert M. Brown and son, Clifford, of Houston, who arrived on the early morning train. Mrs. Brown is an intimate friend of the family and has known the deceased for many years.

The quantity and magnificence of the flowers show the love and esteem in which Mrs. Prager was held by her many friends and they, in all places where she has lived and been known, join the Eagle in extending sympathy to the bereaved.

## D. L. WILSON IS NEW PRESIDENT ROTARY

A meeting of the new board of directors of the Bryan Rotary Club, announced in yesterday's Eagle, held at 6 o'clock Wednesday night at the City Hall, D. L. Wilson was elected president to take over his term of office on May 1, with the following other officers: John W. Black, vice president; W. B. Cline, secretary-treasurer; Chas. Hillier, sergeant-at-arms, and Gabe Cazell, song-leader. The officers-elect will be asked to go to the Wichita Falls conference on April 3 to 5. Special rates will be made on both railroads out of Bryan, it has been announced.

### FARM BUREAU MEET

The Brazos County Farm Bureau will meet next Saturday, April 5, the first Saturday in April, at 3:00 o'clock p. m. in the court room at the court house. Field men will be here and will make reports on the progress of the Texas Cotton Marketing Association, in addition to general discussion.

## LAYMEN'S ORGANIZATION PERFECTED MEETING AT THE CARNEGIE LIBRARY ON MONDAY NIGHT

A meeting was held on Monday night at Carnegie Library at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of perfecting a Laymen's Organization of a permanent nature in Bryan, to safeguard the moral interests of the community and to promote Christian fellowship. Round table discussions were led by A. W. Buchanan, F. E. Lichte, W. F. Gibbs, Oak McKenzie, E. F. Park, J. A. Held, on the following subjects: Benefits to be derived by the Sunday schools, Christian Fellowship, Cultivation and Practice of Prayer, Personal Service, and to create a general atmosphere for righteousness and church-going.

Rev. H. C. Willis of the First Methodist church called attention to the fact that there was not a man at the meeting under 25 years of age and that the Sunday school classes were filled, in the majority, with gray heads. F. D. Fuller stated that another objective would be to support and uphold the pastors and their organization. W. S. Barron talked briefly on Sabbath desecration. W. M. Wilson followed the line of Rev. Willis and stressed the necessity of getting young men into the church. E. E. McAdams closed the discussion with a summing-up of the arguments presented which, he said showed that such a Laymen's Organization was needed and would have much work to do. He made a motion that such an organization be formed. The motion carried.

Twenty-seven Present. The next meeting will be held Sunday at 4 o'clock p. m. at the Library to hear the committee's report regarding organization. The following committee was appointed on attendance: Jim Edge, E. E. McAdams, W. S. Collard, Oak McKenzie, F. D. Fuller, F. T. Cole was elected temporary chairman of last night's meeting and presided while W. I. McCulloch was elected temporary secretary. All members present registered as members of the organization, the meeting adjourning with prayers from numerous men present.

Those present at last night's meeting and who registered as "charter" members, were: W. S. Barron, Dr. Jno. A. Held, Rev. L. Guy Ament, E. E. McAdams, Jim Edge, Sam Hunter, D. D. Vashinder, Oak McKenzie, A. W. Buchanan, Rev. C. B. Thompson, F. T. Cole, F. D. Fuller, Rev. W. N. Sholl, W. I. McCulloch, W. M. Wilson, P. E. Lichte, L. R. Benning, R. Edgar Buchanan, E. F. Park, H. C. Beard, W. F. Gibbs, R. R. Ellis, Hardy Newton, E. E. Fain, Rev. H. C. Willis, Justice J. W. Hamilton, and D. D. White.

## BOX SUPPER LEONARD SCHOOL NETTED \$50

A crowd of 250 to 300, about 25 to 50 of them from Bryan, attended and participated in the box supper given at Leonard school, Mrs. P. A. Tardy, teacher, four miles south of Bryan on the Fin-Feather Club road. Though bidding was slow to start and things looked rather gloomy at the outset, the town boys finally arrived and the district boys had to bid high to get their girls' boxes, one going for \$5.85, and the total receipts were nearly \$50. Peanuts and lemonade were sold to the crowd present and the stock was sold out. A big cake, on which the name "Leonard School" had been embossed, about 40 boxes, and some candy were auctioned off.

Splendid Orchestra. Following the box supper, eight couples took part in the dance in the adjoining room of the school, which had been prepared for that purpose and the gathering did not fully break up until nearly midnight.

The Owl Orchestra, a newly organized five-piece group, furnished splendid music for the occasion, both at the box supper and the dance. Many were the words of praise bestowed upon the orchestra, both individually and collectively. The audience was delighted and expressed the wish that the musicians might appear again soon in that community. The personnel of the band was as follows: Charley Sebesta, banjo; Willie Sebesta, saxophone; Edwin Jancik, cornet, and Joe Dobrovolsky, drums.

Other entertainment features were provided by County Agent C. L. Beason and H. D. Cuykendall of the Bryan Daily Eagle.

The proceeds of the box supper on last night will go to equipping an additional room and making Leonard a two-teacher school next year.

### OF INTEREST IN BRYAN

Mrs. John T. Hanway was hostess at an informal seated tea Friday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. John T. Hanway, Sr., of Bryan, her house guest, and Mrs. L. R. Lefferson of New York, the guest of Mrs. Frederick Parker. Dogwood massed in baskets and vases gave attractive touches of springtime to the rooms and centered the lace-spread tea table, where Mrs. S. C. Red presided over the silver tea service. A number of hospitalities are being given in honor of the visitors.—Houston Chronicle.

Forrest Jones, Jr., is confined at his parents' home with a case of measles.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUBJECT TO THE DEMOCRATIC JULY PRIMARIES.

FOR CONGRESSMAN:  
Sixth Cong. District:  
HON. LUTHER A. JOHNSON.  
For Representative, 22nd District of Texas, composed of Brazos and Grimes counties:  
W. S. BARRON.  
For State Senator—  
R. S. BOWERS.  
For Sheriff—  
JESS CONLEE.  
J. H. REED.  
ROY HUDSPETH.  
For County Tax Collector—  
OLLIE SMITH.  
MRS. JACK T. JOHNSON.  
J. M. FERGUSON.  
For County School Superintendent—  
J. J. McDONALD.  
For County Clerk—  
MRS. ALBERT J. BUCHANA.  
J. L. COBB.  
A. S. McSWAIN.  
For County Judge—  
H. O. FERGUSON.  
For County Tax Assessor—  
CLYDE F. GOEN.  
For County Treasurer—  
MRS. DORA E. WILSON.  
COUNTY COMMISSIONER—  
Precinct No. 1—  
C. M. RISINGER.  
For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:  
L. H. BAIRD.  
EMMETT HOLLAND.  
JOHN SABO.  
Precinct No. 3.  
JOE J. MESSINA.  
F. F. REGMUND.  
C. M. DEGLIA.  
J. J. HOLIK.  
LOUIS LERO.  
Precinct No. 4—  
J. M. MOORE.

"We only Bought Rat Poison Twice," writes Jesse Smith, N. J. "I threw the first kind away; couldn't be bothered mixing it with meat, cheese. Then I tried Rat-Snap. SAY, that's the stuff! It comes in cakes, all ready to use. And it sure does kill rats." 35c, 65c, \$1.25.

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## NEW BOARD DIRECTORS BRYAN BUILDING LOAN ELECTED ON THURSDAY

The election of a new board of directors for the Bryan Building & Loan Association resulted in the naming of the same board to act for the new year as follows: W. H. Cole, president; H. O. Boatwright, vice president; Sam E. Eberstadt, secretary; directors: W. H. Cole, H. O. Boatwright, W. S. Barron, W. S. Higgs, A. H. Leidigh, J. B. Bagley, L. Henderson, Wilson Bradley and Robert Armstrong.

## ALLEN SENIOR CLASS INSTALL MEMORIAL GATEWAY ACADEMY

The Senior class of Allen Academy, numbering fifty-four, have decided to erect a gate-way at the main entrance to the school at a cost of about \$300. As this is the twenty-fifth class, the Silver Jubilee class, to pass out of the Academy, they believed that they should leave behind some memorial in recognition of the work of the school itself. Professor H. N. June of A. and M. College, the architect of the new building, is designing the gate-way in keeping with the style of the Main Building. Each pillar will contain a tablet with the list of the members of the 1924 class.

With this addition, the new front sweep of the Academy will be extremely inviting. On the North will be the founder's home, in the center the Main Building, one of the finest school buildings of its size in Texas, the new gateway and Bryan Hall. It will pay the citizens of Bryan to walk out and see these new improvements for the Academy is distinctly a Bryan institution.

In making the donation of these gates, the senior class felt that they would not only be recognizing the worth of the institution itself, but also the kind spirit of the people of Bryan toward their undertaking, for of course the senior class will not ever have the pleasure of using these gates, but they will remain behind for future students of the institution.

## STEPHAN BOTTLING WORKS ELECTRICALLY EQUIPPED THROUGHOUT

The Stephan Bottling Works, this city, has grown to be one of the largest institutions of which Bryan can boast. Valued at \$30,000 last summer, George Stephan, the energetic and capable owner and manager, has just gotten in four car loads of bottles and cases and one car of new machinery, the total cost of which will run around \$15,000 additional, making a plant established here that is worth in the neighborhood of \$50,000.

Bryan is the headquarters for the operations of this plant which covers three counties, Brazos, Burleson and Grimes as branches have just recently been established at Navasota and Caldwell.

The new car contained the following equipment: 1 new and latest design, Shields automatic bottler, motor-driven; 1 carbonator, 300-gallon per hour capacity, motor driven; 1 electric syrup mixer, with 70-gallon glass-lined steel tank. This is electrical.

Last Word in Sanitation. The Stephan Bottling Works is now electrical throughout and the hanc nothing that goes into the making of the soda from this plant. It is the last thing in sanitation and sanitation is the slogan that George Stephan has used and the ideal that has built up his plant to the high place it holds today. Orange Crusa has been secured as a new leader and will run by the side of Delaware Punch and Coca-Cola as the feature bottling beverage and with 7 other varieties compose the output of the bottling works.

It is an institution of which the manager and owner should be justly proud and an asset to the city of Bryan.

## DEAD DOG ON COLLEGE BOULEVARD FRIDAY

A dog, said to have belonged to Fred Winter on South College Boulevard, went mad on Thursday and created quite a scare in that neighborhood. Some dogs were bitten at all in the neighborhood have been tied up pending developments. Fred and John Winter have both killed their dogs. It is not known how many dogs or whose were bitten. N. N. Snapp's dog, which was bitten, is said to be at College receiving treatment. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Winter were neither bitten, but Mrs. Winter had a scratch on one hand and both are taking treatments as a precautionary measure. The head of the dog was sent to Austin and examination found it to have been suffering from the rabies.

Raynor Sutton of Ursuline avenue is just recovering from a spell of measles, and his brother, Ralph, is in bed with the same malady. They are the little sons of Mrs. A. R. Sutton, whose husband died recently.

### How Would You Like to See What Irvin Nerhood (Pa.) Saw?

"One customer told me that after using one large package of Rat-Snap, he got FORTY-FOUR dead rats. How many more dead he couldn't see, he doesn't know. Remember rats breed fast and destroy dollars' worth of property." 35c, 65c, \$1.25.

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# BRAZOS COUNTY BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB DEPARTMENT

Club Notes and Farm News by County Agent C. L. Beason

Next Monday night is the regular meeting of the Brazos County Poultry Association, and it ought not to be necessary to call attention to all interested in the success of the poultry industry to the importance of attending these meetings. Someone in passing through Brazos county a few days ago remarked upon seeing the many new poultry farms being opened up, that the poultry raisers of Brazos county would have to get together and map out a policy for all to follow in order to save the industry as a whole and prevent disaster from coming to each individual. These first Monday night meetings of the poultry association are conducive to a better understanding of the needs of the poultry raisers in relation, not only to their own business, but also to others engaged in the same business. Co-operate with one another and the poultry industry will succeed as your private enterprise becomes better and better. Go it single handed and alone and you will not only bring disaster upon your own enterprise, but will also wreck the business as a whole.

## Definite Plan of Work.

Miles H. Fairbank, county agent of Howard county, Maryland, gives in Better Crops, an interesting story of how one community in his county accomplished a great work, and the story reveals that the secret of success of the undertaking was due to the people's making and following a definite and a comprehensive program of work. Where would the farmer get if he were to place a little while in one field, then go to another, and another, without ever finishing any one job? What of the teacher who skips from place to place in the text book, never giving heed to the mastery of any one, or definite principle? What of the community organization, the program of whose meetings from time to time are unrelated, or have no set goal? The failure to attain the greatest success possible is as obvious as it would be in other instances cited, recognizing some merit, of course, in the farmer's taking open air exercise, or the convenience in sending children to school to prevent annoyance at home, and the social features in any community gathering. Several communities in Brazos county are now working on a definite program of work covering a long period of time, and this is certainly a step in the right direction.

## Grasp Opportunities.

In his splendid address to the Millican people last Sunday afternoon, Judge Henry Lewis of Navasota said, among other things, that the people nowadays seeking new locations are being attracted by good schools, good churches, and good roads, and predicted that if the Millican people would live up to their opportunities a building and loan association equal to that of Bryan would be necessary to take care of the new building operations, but to neglect these opportunities, he said, would mean that what residences Millican did have would be abandoned and their business houses would become rat roosts.

## Story Contest Grows Warm.

Much interest was manifested the past week in the club letter contest, many good interesting letters having been received. Among those sending in good letters were: Helen Jones, Annette Morrell, and Julia Boatcallie of the Woodville school; Harvey Martin of the Edge school; Florine Groda of Millican, Annie Locke of Tabor, and Virginia Kurten of Kurten. This time it has been no easy task to select the winner, all the letters being well written and containing much interesting and helpful information. Annie Locke's story of her poultry project was full of interest and practical information; Harvey Martin comes back with a wonderful dream of the success, not only of his own project, but the victory of his club as well; Virginia Kurten sends in a short story paying a high tribute to club work as an incentive to higher aims and greater achievements in life. The fact of the matter is, expert judgment had to be called in and then not for a long time could it be decided to whom the prize should be given, all so fine and each presenting a different viewpoint. However, it was finally decided that on account of the definite work, the practical methods, which might be used by all with the same degree of success, and the helpful information given, Annie Locke was declared the winner in the contest for the past week and her story is as follows:

## Story of My Club Work.

I set my three hens February 7th, and put 15 eggs under each hen. They broke three eggs. I fed my hens corn and kept water in the pen where I had them. I dusted them twice with sodium fluoride. A few days previous to hatching, I cleaned the coop out and disinfected with Kresol dip and placed it in a small chicken house, which we had cleaned the same way. We hitched the horses to the little house and moved it out into the edge of the field. On February 27th I could hear the little baby chicks knocking inside the shell, and I could hardly wait for them to hatch out. Next morning there were two nests full of babies, one hen having hatched every egg, another all but one, and the third one not doing so well. On February 29th I took off 36 real Plymouth Rock chickens, and I was the happiest girl ever, for they were my club chickens. Before I put them into the coop I put a pinch of sodium fluoride on each chick's head and also made them eat some clabber milk. Not a one has died, but one got into a post hole. However, I happened to find it out, and by the next morning I could not tell it from the others. My chicks are now nearly three weeks old and running all

over the place. I shut them up at night and let them out about nine o'clock in the morning. I keep their coop well supplied with food and water so when they come near they can eat and drink, "and be merry." ANNE LOCKE, Tabor Club.

## R. I. Reds at Millican.

It appears that the Millican club aims to make that a Rhode Island Red center, the county agent having already delivered 15 sittings of fine R. I. Red eggs to that club. That is a step in the right direction. Everybody in the community push this famous breed of chickens and not only the Methodist will come among you, but the tourists who pass your door will stop to admire and then purchase your fine birds.

## Cotton and Feed Crops.

The Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News, co-operating with the Extension Service, announces a prize of \$1,000 to encourage better acreage production. Details will be given later; in the meantime, get that 5-acre plot ready for some real cotton production. However, don't neglect that feed crop.

## Tabor and Kurten Meets.

A meeting of the Tabor boys' and girls' club will be held at Tabor high school next Friday night, reports of work, songs, yells, etc., being some of the many interesting things of the evening. Don't miss it. And then, the next night, the first Saturday night, there will be a packed house at the Kurten community meeting. Better not miss any of these meetings. Nothing like 'em.

## Sound Policy Pledge.

More than 2,000 farmers signed a pledge in North Carolina last spring, covering these ten points:

1. Raise enough corn and hay to carry me through 1924.
2. Raise enough meat to supply my family this year.
3. Have a twelve-months-in-the-year garden.
4. Provide milk and butter for the family for the whole year.
5. Keep an average of thirty hens on the farm.
6. Improve orchard by setting out trees and berries.
7. Plant legumes and other soil-enriching crops.
8. Enroll at least one child in club work.
9. Add some home conveniences.
10. Beautify the homestead.

Farm Journal.

## TABOR TIDBITS

(Special to Bryan Daily Eagle).  
Tabor, April 1.—Our little community was thrown into a state of excitement yesterday morning when we received the unexpected news that Sheriff Leonard E. Morehead had been assassinated Saturday night, while at a show at Steep Hollow. It was a tragedy that the whole county was sorry to hear. A number of people from here attended the funeral services Sunday afternoon which were held at the court house and interment followed at the Bryan Cemetery. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved family.

Miss Icy Goen, our music teacher, has recovered from the flu and is back to have her again.

W. H. Worsham has gone to Marlin for treatment. He is reported to be better and is expected home in a few days.

There is going to be a boys and girls club meeting at Tabor high school Friday night. Everybody is urged to attend.

Misses Marjorie Marquart and Una Edge spent the week-end with homefolks.

A number of people from this community went to Millican Sunday to an all day singing. They reported a nice time, a good dinner, and some good singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Batten's little son, Joe, is very ill of measles. There is quite a lot of measles in our community. We trust they will all soon recover.

There was an entertainment at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Elliott Saturday night. Everybody had a nice time.

Miss Ella Francis, from Bryan, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Francis of this community.

## STEEP HOLLOW STORIES

STEEP HOLLOW, April 1.—Our community was made sad by the sudden death of a dear friend, L. E. Morehead which took place in our neighborhood Saturday night.

H. D. Cuykendall of the Bryan Eagle was a visitor in our community Sunday.

The wagon show which has been showing here the past week, has left to visit other communities. All who attended report it a good show.

Those attending the all-day singing at Millican Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Cook and family; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Parker and family; Mr. and Mrs. Britton Risinger; B. L. Foster and family; J. M. Conway and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Post.

Miss Lynn Battle of Rock Prairie spent the week-end with Mrs. Jewel and Estelle Holligan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Barnett spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. L. Jones and family of Harvey.

Mrs. Ethel Edmonds of Bryan spent the week-end with her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vandiver.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Murray and family spent Sunday with his brother, Charles Murray, and family of Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Crone of Wellborn spent the week-end with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clive Smith and family.

## ROY HUDSPETH ASKS SUPPORT OF PEOPLE FOR SHERIFF BRAZOS

As one who has given 13 years of service in public office in this county and has merited the confidence of the people of this section for that length of time; as one who is familiar with public duties, with the topography of the county, with its people and the needs of the section; with other public officials through official channels, I am asking the support of the voters of the county, both men and women, in the July Primary, for the position of sheriff to succeed the late and efficient officer, Sheriff L. E. Morehead.

I am by no means a stranger to this section, my parents having been natives of the county and residents of Tabor community, where I also resided prior to my taking office. I first served 2 years as county commissioner for precinct No. 2, 5 years as deputy county tax collector and have served nearly 6 years—am serving on my third term—as county Tax Collector.

I ask the support of the people on the basis of service rendered, merit of accomplishments, ability shown, knowledge of the county and its people. I ask your support in the July primary, ROY HUDSPETH.

## EDGE EPIGRAMS

EDGE, April 1.—All the farmers of this community have been busy breaking their land and planting corn this week.

Since the last write-up our community has been made sad by the death of one of our most beloved citizens, Mr. Will Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Carter from Oklahoma have been visiting friends and relatives at Edge, having been called here on account of the death of Mrs. Carter's brother, Will Murphy.

Mrs. Maud Nash who is visiting her mother at Tabor was at Edge Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Will Murphy.

Miss Winnie Burrows, a teacher in the Edge school spent the week-end at Millican.

John Payne of Bryan spent the week-end at Edge.

Several of the people of the community went to the Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. rally at Reliance Sunday. Therefore the attendance at Sunday School was not as good as usual. Following is a list of those from Edge: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Henry, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Moore, Mrs. Verna Wilson, Misses Octavia Morrison, Mayte Thompson, Norma Ruth Hill, Maud Moore, Ora Ruth Elliott, Nina Mae Moore, Bertha Mae Elliott, Merle Hill, Belle Moore, Mildred Closs, Eunice Hill and Wynell Hill, Bill Hare, Curtis Hare, Floyd Moore, Paul Moore, Eldrid Henry and Wallace Henry.

Miss Pauline Thompson spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Velma Moore.

Miss Ruth Elliott went to Bryan Sunday to spend a few days with her grandmother.

J. W. Thompson, a merchant of Edge, went to Bryan Friday.

P. S. Mangum, John Ryehick, Harvey George, J. T. Leathers and others from this community motored to Bryan Saturday.

Bill Hare has been visiting in Bryan the last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Davis of Bryan were visiting Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Beard Sunday.

## COMMISSIONER SABO ASKS RE-ELECTION FOR PRECINCT NUMBER TWO

I wish to announce through the columns of the Bryan Eagle that I am a candidate for re-election to the office of road commissioner for Brazos county for the second term, though I have served one other previous term prior to the one I am serving now, as Commissioner from Precinct No. 2.

I have lived nearly fifty years—all my life—in the county and the precinct which I am asking to again represent. I am thoroughly familiar with the roads of the county under all conditions and believe I understand the needs of the county in this line and how to better the roads with the funds and equipment available.

The commissioners court has done little or no road work during the past winter for the rains would have undone anything that might have been accomplished. Instead, this money has been saved and with it a new tractor has been purchased. This money three for the county now and when spring is here in earnest, when the comparatively dry season begins, the work will be resumed and done right, and where it will remain and not wash away. I wish to state that the new work will begin where the old left off and give everyone the same kind of road service. Though I reside at Kurten I want to state that Macy and every other community will be given the same fair and impartial treatment.

I ask for re-election on the principles set forth and on my past work as commissioner. JOHN SABO.

## PALESTINE GRATEFUL FOR MESSAGE BROUGHT BY SECY. EBERSTADT

John M. Lawrence, president of the Bryan and Brazos County Chamber of Commerce, is in receipt of a letter from M. F. Ward, secretary of the Palestine Business League under date of March 28, expressing the appreciation of that organization and that city for the services rendered by Sam E. Eberstadt of the local commercial body, in addressing a mass meeting there on Thursday night and explaining the Bryan plan, Building & Loan. The letter follows: "It was with the greatest of pleasure

to have with us Mr. S. E. Eberstadt of your city and we cannot praise his work too highly, as words are too limited to express our appreciation to your organization for allowing Mr. Eberstadt to spend the night in our city. The Bryan plan is a very wonderful plan and since having it explained to us so thoroughly, as Mr. Eberstadt did last evening, it is beyond doubt must be a pleasure to be a member of your Chamber of Commerce. Having a crowd of representative business people of this city and the praises are very flattering to Mr. Eberstadt and your organization and we can assure you that the members highly appreciate it, especially different points of merit brought out during the talk. Again thanking you for your valued service rendered, and extending to you our sincere appreciation and cooperation, we beg to remain, etc."

## SINGING CONVENTION AND BARBECUE AT MILICAN ON SUNDAY

The Brazos County Singing Association held an all-day sing-song and barbecue at Millican Sunday. A large crowd went down from Bryan and all parts of the county were represented. Jim Cloud of Bryan was chairman of the association and was head of the day Sunday. T. A. Hensarling of the Millican schools, was in charge of the educational features of the day's gathering. The meeting began about 10 o'clock in the morning and continued throughout the day. Judge Henry Lewis of Navasota delivered the main address and some of those present said of it that it was a splendid speech, well prepared and well delivered. Among the Bryan people present at the singing were: Jess Hensarling, Jim Cloud and families; County Agent C. L. Beason and R. W. Persons, and the latter's son, Roland; I. M. Cook of Steep Hollow; Ben M. Foster of Steep Hollow; Clarence Bullock of College; Victor Anderson of Bryan; R. J. Halbrooks, Louis Thompson, Johnny Stockton, Johnnie Whitten of Tabor; Jim Saxon of Reliance, Mrs. J. M. Reed of Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Reed of Bryan, and a large number of others.

## WILL BRAZOS COUNTY AID STARVING CHILDREN

Reports are being received almost daily of the conditions in Germany. Children were poorly nourished and half clothed bodies are continually exposed to the most severe weather. The roughest and coarsest food is eagerly sought for and any kind of clothing is in great demand by these poor youngsters. America has assumed the role of savior for these poor children. It is no time to argue whether the people of recent belligerent country merit or are entitled to our help. The facts are that thousands of children are starving and in sad need of clothing. We are a prosperous, yes, an overfed nation and we are given an opportunity to save human lives. The Eagle has been asked to call to the minds of the readers those facts which are already known and which must reasonably be felt by the most of the good people of one of the most chivalrous and generously hospitable counties of the greatest state in America. Nearly all counties in Texas are already being represented in this worthy cause. Brazos county is asked not to fall behind in doing her full duty in this hour and exemplify the high ideals which this nation set for its guidance from its earliest beginning. Surely there are many people in the county who would make contributions to this most worthy cause if given an opportunity to do so.

## LETTERS RECEIVED TODAY FROM PRESIDENT BIZZELL

(From Monday's Daily.)  
S. G. Bailey, executive secretary to Dr. W. B. Bizzell, president of the A. and M. College of Texas, today received a batch of letters from Dr. Bizzell, one for each day since he embarked on board the "America" for Europe. He had written a letter daily aboard the ship and they came here all at one time. The letters report a very pleasant trip and that he had met many distinguished and delightful people.

## EXAMINATIONS FOR REGISTRATION NURSES ON APRIL 24-25 AND 26

The Board of Nurse Examiners for the State of Texas will hold their semi-annual examinations for the registration of nurses, April 24th, 25th and 26th, in the following cities: Dallas, Waco, El Paso, San Antonio and Galveston. Application must be filed with the secretary fifteen days before the examinations, according to Miss Mary Griggs, secretary, Board of Nurse Examiners.

## COUNTY AGENT GAVE DINNER HOTEL BRYAN FEDERAL STUDENTS

Federal students in placement training in Brazos county were guests of County Agent C. L. Beason at luncheon at Hotel Bryan Saturday March 29. Trainees attending luncheon were Joe P. Barnett of Steep Hollow, project poultry and farm crops; Jim Welch of Leonard community, farm crops; D. E. Simpson of Wellborn, poultry and farm crops; Henry Wilson, of Route 4, poultry and truck crops. Mr. Barnett reported some 500 S. C. White Leghorn baby chicks doing fine. Mr. Simpson stated that he had 200 or 300 baby chicks, mostly R. I. Reds. Mr. Wilson stated that his poultry project was progressing nicely, having already 500 baby chicks of various ages. Mr. Welch reported his farm work well under way, considering the weather, corn planted but not up. Others attending the luncheon were: Dr. F. C. Bolton, H. H. Williamson and Vernon Bailey.

Mr. Bailey stated that a delegation from Prairie View would visit Brazos county in the near future with a view to purchasing purebred poultry. County Agent Beason stated that if Brazos county poultry raisers would raise nothing but the best poultry, the "world would beat out a path to our door" for the poultry we have to sell.

## ANTONE H. STEVENER STRICKEN IN EFFORT GET CAR OUT OF HOLE

Antone H. Stevener, resident of Kurten community, died this morning of heart diseases following a stroke on Friday night. He had gone from his home to the school to get his small son. While en route there, the car bogged down in the mud and in the effort to extricate it the stroke evidently came upon him while he was working on the car and he was later found in the car in an unconscious condition by his brother-in-law, Charley Schram.

The deceased was 38 years, 6 months and 12 days of age, died at Kurten of heart disease Saturday morning at 6:30 o'clock. Mr. Stevener was born at Kurten, September 17, 1884, and had lived there all his life.

Besides the wife he is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Stevener; two sons, Wallace and Woodrow Stevener; one daughter, Ellen Stevener, all of Kurten; and two sisters, Mrs. May Emily of Edge, and Mrs. J. O. Wilson of Bryan; and four brothers, A. W. Stevener of Kurten; Herbert Stevener of Dallas, Henry Stevener of Dallas, and Arnold Stevener of Kurten.

Funeral services will be held from the family home Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. J. J. Kasiske, and burial will be in the Kurten Cemetery under direction of McCulloch-Gordon Company, funeral directors.

## MANY RRYAN AND COLLEGE MASON'S ATTEND AUSTIN MEET

Among those who went to Austin Saturday to see the third degree of Masonry exemptified with scenery, music and costumes that cost something like \$20,000, were: J. W. Payne, Roy Hudspeth, George A. Long, W. H. Harrell, J. M. Jones, E. C. O'Banion, T. R. Halsey, Paul Cowan, F. G. Yester, W. L. Robinson, S. K. Ketner, M. S. Huls, W. E. Lewis, J. C. Ashford, W. L. Hohn, Hilman Wilson, P. S. Bailey, O. O. Henderson, W. S. Allison, P. W. Burns, T. T. Cleaver, E. B. Brewster, John Carmichael, C. P. Ayers, L. S. Keene, E. P. Humbert, R. E. Milligan, W. W. Wilkerson, T. K. Brownlee, Roy Gough and J. R. Phillips.

## TABOR CLUB GIRLS ON WAY TO THE TOP

(Special to Bryan Daily Eagle).  
TABOR, March 27.—Miss Laura Belle Roten, county home demonstration agent, met with the Tabor girls Tuesday afternoon. The attendance was almost 100 per cent. Miss Roten gave the girls a good lesson in "Canning" which was enjoyed by all. The girls also did some work on their note books. They had some review work in the kind of dresses they should wear on certain occasions, the colors best suited for each one and for different seasons of the year.

## TRUSTEES AND GUESTS DINED BY EDGE CLUB GIRLS FRIDAY NIGHT

The Edge Home Demonstration Club girls entertained the school trustees and a few guests at a dinner last night at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Prof. and Mrs. P. S. Mangum. The heavy rain and the fire at Emmett Holland's barn broke up the dinner party immediately following the luncheon hour. However, many were the compliments paid to the club girls for the splendid dinner served by them with their limited home science equipment. The dinner was also a credit to Miss Winnie Burrows, home science teacher, and Mrs. P. S. Mangum, wife of the principal of the school.

Seated at the table were: L. D. Cuykendall, of the Bryan Daily Eagle; W. E. Farmer, manager of the Bryan Ice Plant for the Western Public Service Company; Miss Laura Belle Roten, county home demonstration agent; S. P. Moore, president board of school trustees; Ollie Orr, trustee; Principal P. S. Mangum, Mrs. P. S. Mangum and daughter, Miss Dorothy Mangum; Miss Ophelia Morrison, teacher in the Edge school; Floyd Moore, and Miss Winnie Burrows, home science teacher.

Talks were made by Miss Laura Belle Roten, preceding her presentation of certificates to the club girls for the past year's work, and by Mr. Cuykendall in appreciation, on behalf of the guests, for the splendid dinner served. Miss Burrows also explained the limitation of equipment and that the serving was the best possible under the circumstances and that the girls themselves did all the work. The following club girls were presented with certificates: Maud Moore, Bell Moore, Nina Mae Moore, Velma Moore, Pauline Thompson, Ruth Hill, Merle Hill, Eunice Hill, Doris House, Alene Payne, Pauline Beard, Susie Griffin, Ora Ruth Elliott, Ella Blazek, Mildred Closs, Jewel Closs and Mary Rumfield.

## "Rat-Snap Kills 48 Rats"

Wrote Irvin Newbold, Pennsylvania  
He says: "After using one large package, we counted 48 dead rats." RAT-SNAP kills 'em, drives up the carcass, and leaves so much. Cats and dogs won't touch it. Comes in convenient size cakes; no mixing with other food. Get a package today. Three sizes: 5c for kitchen or cellar; 6c for chicken house or corn crib; \$1.25 for barns and outbuildings. Your money back if RAT-SNAP doesn't do the work.  
KILLS RATS - LEAVES NO SMELL  
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## STAR BRAND Cotton and Corn Fertilizers

\$1.60 PER SACK  
Star Brand Potato Fertilizer \$1.75 per sack.  
Star Brand Acid Phosphate \$1.15 per sack.  
Star Brand Nitrate of Soda \$3.50 per sack.  
MORE FERTILIZER FOR LESS MONEY  
BRYAN COTTON OIL AND FERTILIZER CO.  
"A HOME INSTITUTION"

THE A. AND M. COLLEGE OF TEXAS  
Offers for Service, Season of 1924.  
"The Captain"—Jack.  
"Alamo"—Morgan Stallion.  
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"Clemenceau"—Percheron Stallion.  
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TERMS:—Leaph \$5.00 cash; Season \$10.00 cash. Guarantee Foal \$15.00, note due at time of foaling, 10 per cent interest until collected.  
ANIMAL HUSBANDRY DEPARTMENT,  
College Station, Texas.

## WOMAN'S HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

met in regular session Wednesday, March 25, with 16 women present. Mrs. Joe Sample read a splendid paper on "The Place of Vegetables in the Diet". Mrs. N. H. McWhorter gave a talk suggesting the best garden seed to use. This talk was followed by a general discussion and reasons were given why certain seed seemed to do best. Mrs. J. M. Closs being absent, her subject will be discussed at the next regular meeting. Miss Mary Locke gave an excellent talk on "The Vine Covered Porch". The following were present: Misses Ollie Wilson, Josephine Locke, Minnie Price, Mary Locke, Mesdames N. H. McWhorter, R. A. Cooper, J. H. White, Jr., J. L. Sample, W. E. Elliott, J. T. Price, T. J. Abbott, Jim Frances, E. E. Wilson, V. V. Smith and Miss Laura Belle Roten, county home demonstration agent. The club meets again April 2.

## It's the Cheapest Thing I Ever Bought.

Writes Mrs. J. Mason, Va.  
"I paid \$1.25 for five cakes of Rat-Snap and judging by the large number of dead rats we've picked up, I reckon we've saved hundreds of dollars in chicks, eggs and feed. Your rats won't touch it. Rats dry up and leave no smell. 35c, 65c, \$1.25.  
Sold and guaranteed by  
THE M. H. JAMES DRUG CO. AND  
PARKER-ASTIN HDW. CO.

## COTTON SEED Half and Half Booklet Free JOHN M. BLIGH Decatur, Ala.

## SIXTEEN WOMEN AT TABOR CLUB MEETING

(Special to Bryan Daily Eagle).  
TABOR, March 27.—The Tabor

## Blinding Headaches

"For about twenty years," says Mr. P. A. Walker, a well-known citizen of Newburg, Ky., "one of our family remedies has been Black-Draught, the old reliable. . . I use it for colds, biliousness, sour stomach and indigestion. I was subject to headaches when my liver would get out of order. I would have blinding headaches, and couldn't stoop about my work, just couldn't go. I used

## Thedford's BLACK-DRAUGHT

and it relieved me. "About eight years ago my wife got down with liver and stomach trouble. . . We tried all week to help her. . . but she didn't get any better. One day I said to the doctor, 'I believe I will try Black-Draught, it helps my liver.' He said that I might try it and to follow directions. She was nauseated and couldn't eat or rest. She began taking Black-Draught and in two days she was greatly improved and in a week she was up." "Try Black-Draught. It costs only one cent a dose. Sold everywhere."  
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## Take Calotabs

for the liver  
Beware of imitations. Demand the genuine in 10c and 35c packages bearing above trade mark.

## A Woman Wrote The Canby News, Minn., December 10, as Follows:

"If any subscribers ask what you think of Rat-Snap, tell them it's the best rat exterminator I know. Rats were taking our eggs, oats, corn, had full swing in our cellar. I used Rat-Snap for two days and rats have cleared out completely. Three sizes: 5c, 6c, \$1.25.  
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## NEW SURE WAY TO END BILIOUSNESS

Torpid Liver Fills Body With Poisons—Pepsinated Calomel Guaranteed to Relieve Between Sun-down and Sun-up—No Nausea.  
Calomel is the only medicine that will actually reach the liver, but ordinary calomel is so drastic that many have deprived themselves of its fine effects because of its harshness. This objection has been overcome in Pepsinated Calomel. Many who formerly could not take calomel are finding a most acceptable remedy in Pepsinated Calomel because it is English Calomel (which doctors recognize as the standard of purity), treated with pepsin and other soothing ingredients that not only stimulate the liver to normal action, but sweeten the stomach and aid digestion. Many report that the use of Pepsinated Calomel unclutters their systems of poisonous waste, brings back appetite, causes dullness to disappear and makes them "feel like new."  
M. H. James Dg. Co., and all reliable druggists recommend and guarantee Pepsinated Calomel to bring relief between sundown and sunup or your money refunded. Try it—we guarantee you'll feel better tomorrow. (Adv.)



## SMETANA SIDELIGHTS

(Special to Bryan Daily Eagle).  
SMETANA, Apr. 3.—Everyone was shocked and grieved Sunday morning to hear of the tragic death of L. E. Morehead, our beloved sheriff. We all extend our heartfelt sympathy to Mrs. Morehead and children.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith of Hicks, Burleson county, are visiting relatives here in our community.

We are sorry to hear of Norman Lester, one of the bridge gang boys of the I-G. N. having the misfortune of getting his wrist broken. He was taken to Bryan by Steve Reymond for medical aid.

On April Fool's day a joke was played on Mr. Turner, principal of Smetana high school, when a good many boys and girls took a half holiday by running away from school. They gathered Indian blankets, blue bonnets and dogwood blossoms and came back at four o'clock with these precious blossoms and decorated his room. Mr. Turner, in turn, played a joke on the run-aways by taking the remaining boys to A. and M. College.

Jim and Ernest Cahill, Howell Robertson motored to Fickey school house Friday night to the pie supper. They claim there are some good cooks at Fickey and report a fine time.

The Cahills motored to Bryan to hear Father Barra of Philadelphia speak Sunday night at St. Joseph's church.

## ROCK PRAIRIE RIPPLES

(Special to Bryan Daily Eagle).  
ROCK PRAIRIE, April 2.—A few more days of beautiful sunshine has made people feel more "spring like." Time has come for picnicking, but little is usually done where farming is in such great headway.

Our community feels quite safe, as there has not been a single case of measles, where as in so many places they have been raging.

Mrs. Hill, who resides at the J. A. Gandy home, has been ill, but is on her way to recovery.

Miss Mary Beth Mitchell was the house guest of Elizabeth Atkins last week-end.

Mrs. Lynn Battle spent the week-end with friends at Steep Hollow.

Our Sunday school is rapidly improving, and the boys and girls of the senior class had a contest on for a month for the best attendance. Sunday was the last day, and as a result the boys had a greater average. The girls don't mind entering a party, as this is "Leap Year," and too, they feel safe in having good refreshments. We will be delighted to have everyone in the community to co-operate with the Sunday school.

"Co-operation is the greatest step toward community up-building."

## RELIANCE RECORD

(Special to Bryan Daily Eagle).  
RELIANCE, April 2.—The B. Y. P. U. of Brazos county met with Reliance church Sunday. There was a large crowd present and the day was enjoyed by all. We will organize a B. Y. P. U. at Reliance church next Sunday evening at 7:30. We will have with us friends from Bryan to aid us in the organization.

The Ladies Club met with Miss Laura Belle Roten, county home demonstration agent, on Thursday. There were seven present. For the next program the following will be explained: Vegetables in the diet. Mrs. George Saxton; canning methods. Miss Essie Shealy; beautifying home grounds. Mrs. Ellen Lloyd.

The club girls met with Miss Laura Belle Roten Thursday. There were nine present. We had a splendid meeting and wish to have better attendance next time, which will be April 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolon Cloud, who have visiting relatives in this community, will return to their home at Goose Creek today.

We are glad to learn that Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Conway and family are up again after a siege of measles.

Misses Lillian Jones and Ruth Lloyd of College spent the week-end with Ruth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lloyd.

Reliance community was made sad by the tragic death of Sheriff Leonard Morehead. There were quite a number of people from this community attended the funeral.

Among them were: Mr. and Mrs. John Riley, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Ringer, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Smith, Messrs. Will Shealy, Harold Shealy, Misses Essie Shealy, Grace Shealy and Lizzie Slaughter.

FOULTRY RAISERS WELCOME VISITORS FEEDING STATION

Poultry raisers are always welcome at the Experiment Station Poultry Farm, which is located on the Station with the big white silo. Use this farm for the development of Brazos county's poultry industry. Buy chicks out every Friday morning. Incubators set every Thursday morning. Custom hatching, when we have space available, at regular rates. Hatching eggs for sale. Poultry and cockerels for sale in season. Come to the farm and see what is being done for the improvement of the poultry industry. ROSS M. SHERWOOD, Poultry Husbandman.

An opportunity that may never come again. Brazos county is available for a hustling Rawleigh retailer. Permanent and profitable business. Only limited capital needed to get started. Prompt action necessary. See me quickly. Phone or write W. T. CRAWFORD, New Baden, Texas.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness and help, during the last illness and death of our husband and father.

MRS. ANNIE STEVENSON AND CHILDREN.

## CO-OPERATIVE CHURCH SOCIETY TO BE FORMED - DIFFERENT CHURCHES

On Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock a union prayer service was held at the Tabernacle calling together all the women who had participated in the interdenominational prayer meetings during the Thacker revival.

Mrs. L. Guy Ament presided over the meeting, she having acted as general chairman of the cottage meetings. About 75 women representing the Protestant churches of Bryan were present—and as a result of their meeting together, a committee, one member from each church, was selected to formulate plans of the organization of a permanent co-operative church society.

This committee is composed as follows, and will meet at the home of Mrs. J. Webb Howell on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock: First Baptist, Mrs. J. Webb Howell; Free Baptist, Mrs. C. C. Wheeler; Presbyterian, Mrs. L. L. McInnis; Methodist, Mrs. J. N. Goodwin; Christian, Mrs. W. S. Collard; Episcopal, Mrs. M. Hetty Curry.

A second mass meeting to hear the report of this committee is called to meet on Monday, April 7, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., and all church women interested in such an organization are invited to be present. MRS. M. R. BENTLEY, temporary secretary.

## CHAUTAUQUA SUBJECT ROTARY MEET TODAY

Today noon's luncheon Rotary meeting at the Green Parrot Tea Room, since it is the last meeting of its kind prior to the presentation of the Chautauqua programs, partook of the nature of a Chautauqua meeting and discussions followed that line. Fred Brooks, the local director, is here on the job and ready for the opening of the series of programs, as is also Miss Nash, junior superintendent.

Dr. Jno. W. Black started things, following the singing of some Rotary songs, when he asked what the Women's Club had done in Bryan. His seeming criticism aroused the members of the Women's Club, especially Mrs. W. B. Cline, one of the committee present at today's luncheon, who replied quite feelingly. Mrs. M. W. Sims also stated that she did not have the time at this meeting to tell of what the Woman's Club had done as it would take a week. She then told a number of things about the trip of the Lafayette and the experiences of Mayor Tyler Haswell and W. J. Coulter, both Rotarians, that they had thought best not to tell. Her talk was very amusing to the fellow-Rotarians and set them into round after round of laughter.

Rev. S. Moyley Bird, who is in charge of arrangements, spoke briefly on the necessity of selling the tickets and stated the number sold. When Mrs. B. U. Sims told of the work of the Women's Club on ticket sale, she showed that they had each taken more tickets and had sold nearly twice as many as the business men of the Rotary.

The meeting closed promptly at 1:30 by a vote of those present.

## Good Attendance Record.

Those present at today's Rotary meeting were: Wilson Bradley, Sam Eberstadt, Jno. A. Moore, Jr., R. M. Dancy, A. S. McSwain, F. M. Brook, Dinuba, Calif., C. G. Walker, David Reid, Mrs. J. T. Hanway, Miss Ruth Nash, Aberdeen, S. D., Madison Hall, D. L. Murphy, Bill Griffin, W. E. Farmer, Mrs. W. H. Cole, Mrs. E. Edgar Jones, Oak McKenzie, E. W. Crenshaw, Jr., Mrs. F. L. Henderson, Mrs. and Mrs. H. C. Fulham, W. S. Barron, Mrs. M. E. Wallace, Mrs. A. Benbow, Mrs. J. A. Myers, Tyler Haswell, L. B. Beason, J. E. Covey, E. B. Elliott, Moyley Bird, John W. Black, D. D. Vassinder, W. L. McCulloch, Chas. F. Hillier, M. L. Parker, Mrs. J. L. Brock, Mrs. J. N. Goodwin, Don Lee, Houston, Miss Ona Carroll, Mrs. A. M. Waldrop, Mrs. R. O. Allen, Mrs. Ben E. Taylor, Houston, M. E. Wallace, W. F. Davis, I. E. Warren, W. H. Lawrence, J. Horace Kraft, Chas. Sosolik, H. D. Cuykendall of the Bryan Eagle, W. R. Fairman, Mrs. E. W. Crenshaw, Mrs. E. Yeager, Roy Montgomery, J. W. Payne, W. J. Coulter, Ollie B. Webb, Dallas, A. R. Epperson, Dallas, J. M. Fountain, I. Langford, Will Conlee, J. F. Casey, C. E. Griesser, Bob Turner, H. H. Williamson, Hy. T. Schovajsa, Mrs. C. A. Searcy, T. K. Lawrence, Mrs. J. Hendrix Conway, Mrs. Wm. B. Cline, C. S. Beckwith, Harry Norton June, D. X. Bible, Travis B. Bryan, E. P. Humbert, Mrs. Walter Wipprecht, Mrs. J. Webb Howell, and E. E. McAdams.

## CLOSING OUT SALE

Beginning Friday morning we will open a closing out sale of the entire stock of goods known as the Maniloff Variety Store stock of merchandise and fixtures must be sold to make room for a new business.

ED GRAHAM.

## FORMER BRYAN CITIZEN.

Mrs. Dora Yarborough of Lindale, Texas, a former Bryan citizen writes the Eagle asking that her name be placed on the subscription list. Mrs. Yarborough says: "I want the Eagle as there are lots of good people I know in Bryan and Brazos county and am interested in keeping up with them."

## KNOBEL-RIPPER WEDDING.

Frank Ripper, a U. S. soldier at the A. and M. College and Mrs. Marie Knobel of Navasota were united in marriage by Rev. H. C. Willis, at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Methodist parsonage.

Taken from the Galveston News, April 2, 1874, fifty-years ago: "Bryan, April 1.—Two negroes, said to have confessed complicity in the shooting of E. A. Leak, today were taken from the jail by a mob and hanged. It is reported that four other negroes have been hanged in the Brazos bottoms in connection with the same affair."

## MAYOR HASWELL WILL TELL NAVASOTA KIWANIS CLUB OF WEST INDIES

Mayor Tyler Haswell has been invited to speak to the Kiwanis Club of Navasota at their regular noon-day luncheon Tuesday, April 8th. Mayor Haswell has accepted the invitation and will tell the club about his recent cruise with the Houston Chamber of Commerce to the West Indies.

## JESS JOINS RANKS.

H. H. Williamson is to be complimented on the splendid work he is doing as chairman of the finance committee of Brazos county. Practically every ex-student in Brazos county has put his name on the "dotted line." Just recently he did a good piece of work in getting Jess M. Cook a University-ex, who took a course in cotton classing in A. and M. and later taught in the T. E. Department, to sign up. We are very glad to have Jess join the ranks and thus pledge his support to the Association and the College.—The Texas Aggie.

## BUDDING PECAN TREES.

D. A. Angona of Steele's Store was in Bryan Wednesday and called on County Agent Beason concerning budding paper shell pecans on native trees. County Agent Beason will give Mr. Angona and others in Brazos bottom help in pecan work in the near future. There are great possibilities in the pecan industry in the Brazos bottom as well as other portions of Brazos county.

## PALESTINE DAILY TELLS EBERSTADT'S VISIT TO THEIR CITY

"Boost! Remember the devil lived in heaven until he began knocking his own town."

"I don't know anything about your own town. Don't want to know anything about Palestine. I have been invited to come here to talk to you about Bryan, Texas, and Bryan's way of doing things. If anything I say helps you use it and if anything I say hurts you, then there must be something wrong—then remedy it. In Bryan every merchant belongs to the Chamber of Commerce. The folks in Bryan are boosting Bryan and they are trading with the people who boost Bryan."

"In Bryan there are a few over six thousand people, and there is something like six hundred members of the Chamber of Commerce. In your city of Palestine, I am informed, that you have nearly two and a half times the population of Bryan, but that you haven't half as many members of your Business League as we have. Seems there's something wrong."

"Get Rid of Knockers." "There's something wrong in Palestine. Get rid of your knockers. Make boosters out of them, and if they won't boost find out what's the matter, but make boosters any way, as knockers are no good to any community. Tell facts, be straight and square with everyone."

Continuing his remarks, Mr. Eberstadt talked of the Bryan way of doing things, and to those who heard him, they unquestionably are glad indeed that they went, and those who didn't hear him should feel mighty sorry, for you missed a treat, not in speech making, but in a talk full of energy and of facts well worth knowing that should convey ideas for the future good of Palestine.

"Rising Vote of Thanks." "Imagine, if you please, Bryan's Chamber of Commerce with twenty-five directors, nine as a quorum, and that there has been an average of all meetings of nineteen for four years. Imagine, again, each director as chairman of a committee, and the committee selected from the membership comprising nearly eighty members, individuals working tirelessly for Bryan. Have you any organization here like that? No. Or else you would be so busy over here in Palestine that every one would be boosters and working."

To those present many things mentioned by Mr. Eberstadt will be long remembered and will undoubtedly bear fruit as time passes. After the close of his talk last night a rising vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Eberstadt.—Palestine Herald.

Read all Eagle advertisements

## BENEFITS OF COTTON MARKETING ASSOCIATION EXPLAINED BY MONTGOMERY OF THE TEXAS U.

(Fort Worth Star-Telegram).  
FORT WORTH, March 28.—Texas farmers in the last three years sold \$60,000,000 worth of cotton through their co-operative association, making a gain of \$20 to a bale, R. H. Montgomery of the University of Texas, told members of the Southwestern Political and Social Science Association at its Wednesday morning meeting at the Texas.

The cotton co-operative system was born following 1920, after the crash resulting from the deflation ordered by the Federal Reserve Bank, Montgomery said.

"The association has operated now for three years on a consistently rising market," asserted Montgomery, who went into details of how the system works and benefits cotton raisers. The organization classifies and grades its own cotton, besides selling the product. Its membership is increasing. The average farmer, according to Montgomery, is unfamiliar with classifying and measuring cotton and the experts employed by the association consequently give him a big advantage. He said the organization now has agencies in all the big cotton buying centers over the world.

Montgomery's paper was discussed by A. H. Blackshear of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association and V. P. Lee of the A. and M. College.

## "LIKE A TRIP THROUGH OLD CASTLE"

"I had a very good time, an enjoyable trip, a rest from my work and feel well repaid for the time and expense taken," said Mayor Tyler Haswell this morning in commenting on his voyage, in company with his wife, W. J. Coulter, Mrs. M. W. Sims, Sr., all of Bryan, and a lot of business men from over the State of Texas, on the U. S. S. Lafayette to the West Indies.

Mayor Haswell is a man who remembers things and derives much education from such a trip. He made the trip again, mentally and verbally, for the benefit of the Eagle reporter and the Eagle's readers, and the following is a brief of the story he told. In introducing the story he said: "You can never paint a picture in words that would give a true idea of the things we have seen. The people and the countries are not like us. They have different ways, customs, language, habits and everything else."

Narrow Havana Streets. "Our first experience was that of seasickness," said Mr. Haswell. "We encountered a storm when out on the Gulf but a short time and practically all suffered the pangs of this disease peculiar to sea-goers, or rather landlubbers, on the briny deep. Everyone was glad when the ship called at the Crescent City and anchored in the comparatively still waters of the Mississippi.

"Our next stop was at Havana, a typical Spanish city. It seemed, said Mr. Haswell, 'a picture transported from the Castilian country or a district of New Orleans settled by the French, or the Mexican element of San Antonio.' However, he said, the city is progressing very rapidly and becoming Americanized. It is enjoying a great wealth and prosperity.

"The streets of Havana are only about 18 feet wide with the street cars taking up a large part of this space next to one curb. There is barely room for road traffic on the other and the sidewalks on each side are but about 18 inches wide. We visited the Casino, which is a second Monte Carlo, and a magnificent gambling resort. Some of the crowd invested a little money in the Casino as an experience. Horse-racing was also in full swing and some were interested in this sport.

Visited Porto Platte. "We drove out from Havana 35

## PERSONAL MENTION

(From Wednesday's Daily)  
J. D. Battle of Millican was in Bryan Tuesday, having brought up the new census enrollment which he took as a member of the Millican school board of trustees. Mr. Battle submitted a list of but eight names short of 500 on the school census, making this the largest rural district in Brazos county. He told of some interesting experiences battling mud and high water in the bottoms to take the census. He spent 3 weeks in taking it.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Warren announce the arrival of an eleven pound son, Dayton Leonard, on April 1st, 1924. Mr. Warren is swine husbandman at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Col. Ike Ashburn, secretary of the A. and M. Sx-Students' Association, was in Bryan today on business. Mrs. John T. Hanway has returned from a visit to Houston where she was a guest in the home of her son, John T. Hanway and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Suddeth Waters of Iowa were in Bryan today. E. L. Meyers of College was in Bryan today on business. I. B. Welch of Millican was greeting friends today on the streets of Bryan.

Rev. J. J. Tatum has returned from Weatherford, where he held a three days' meeting at the Free Baptist church, and brings the report that he had a most successful and profitable services.

Rev. J. L. Tatum of Durant, Okla., is here from a visit to his brother, Rev. J. J. Tatum and family.

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Mrs. John K. Carr of Dallas, who has been here for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Collard and Mrs. Mary P. Carr, returned today on a visit to friends.

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miles to the cement factory of the Texas Cement Company. Roads were hard-surfaced, and the plant was American equipped and United States-made trucks were used as a means of carrying goods over the roadways. Everything about the factory was up-to-date. It lay along a little bay where the company had its own wharves, something similar to the City of Galveston. We spent three days here. The last day was the beginning of the Mardi Gras, Sunday, and we were importuned to remain over another day but could not do so. On this day the beach was lined with automobiles filled with pretty Spanish girls in attractive costumes, throwing the small paper rolls from car to car and tangling up the occupants in the streamers.

"Porto Platte is on the north coast of the Dominican Republic of Haiti. The Lafayette could not go in and we went ashore in small boats. Had a most cordial reception from the Chamber of Commerce, Spanish. It was a regal reception. We were driven over the city. There was a display of agricultural produce at the Chamber of Commerce, which included cocoa, tobacco, sugar cane, etc. We visited the sugar refinery, the rum distillery—rum being made from cane—and other factories and industries. The city is very anxious to make progress. The country is under the supervision of American soldiers are on guard. The garrison there consists of a fine personnel of soldiers.

Met Major Lopez. "The sugar cane, once planted, grows for 20 years without planting or cultivation. They just go in and cut out the growth with machetes. There is little or no timber in Cuba, but in Haiti there is much mahogany, and it is the cheapest lumber. The natives are poor and go barefooted, as a rule.

"At San Juan, Porto Rico, we were greeted with the sight of the American flag over this possession of ours. Everywhere were evidences of American pep and progress. American officials were a new experience. We were entertained by an up-to-date American Chamber of Commerce. Music and every entertainment was provided. We were entertained the first night at the Governor's mansion. A reception was also given for us at the leading home today. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Mary P. Carr who goes for a visit.

Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Morgan of College were in Bryan today. T. O. Walton, director and A. K. Short, specialist, of the Extension Service department, A. and M. College, went to Wichita Falls today to attend the State Rotary meet.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stallings of Alexander community were in town a short time today.

Dr. and Mrs. Mark Francis of College were in town today.

Mr. and Mrs. William Carlson of San Antonio arrived today in their car and will make their home in Bryan. Mr. Carlson comes to Bryan to accept electrical work at A. and M. College.

H. L. Cunningham of Smetana was in town on business today and was an appreciated visitor at the Eagle office.

R. E. Smith's little daughter, Robaline, is quite ill today with the measles. Mr. and Mrs. Smith have an apartment at the home of Mrs. J. M. Reed, 1121 West 29th Street.

Mrs. D. L. Wilson went to Dallas today to visit her sister, Mrs. T. P. Hightower, while Mr. Wilson is attending Rotary Convention at Wichita Falls.

Miss Jewel Williamson, teacher of domestic art and science in the high school spent the week-end in Navasota, a guest of friends.

Miss Hettie Edge spent the week-end in Marlin, a guest of her sister, Miss Althea Edge, a teacher in the public schools there.

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"From San Juan we went over land to Marquay, 125 miles across the country, over mountains 11,000 feet high, the south sides of which were barren except where irrigated and the northern slopes very fertile. All kinds of tropical trees and fruits were in abundance. The entire way over a hard-surfaced roadway.

Entertained by Negro Ruler. "We spent Sunday at San Domingo. There we met another group of American officers and American division of popular improvements. It is a city of 80,000 people and most of them negroes. It was here that we saw a big lottery pulled off. Market square were scenes of great activity and were of much interest to the ships' passengers. We went out to the penitentiary, the leper colony and to the native hut districts.

"At Port au Prince we were met by the president of the negro republic who entertained us at his mansion. It was in this country that the French slaves rebelled and drove out their masters. It is under American supervision now. The president set us up to champagne for the party. The Chamber of Commerce had a great display of needle work which the women of our party practically bought out.

"Then we went to Kingston, Jamaica, under English rule. It is populated by negroes and 90 per cent of the people are dark-skinned. From there we sailed for home. We left there Sunday afternoon and arrived in Houston on Thursday."

It was interesting to hear the Mayor tell about how the taxi men in Havana and other places tried to "beat" the ships' passengers, charging exorbitant rates for service, "making hay while the moon shines"—at least there may have been moonshine. The Mayor said he soon learned to call a native policeman and have him settle the dispute. The policeman was always fair and would set the right price, and the taxi-man did not argue the matter either.

mer position with Chamber-Wilson in Bryan and returned last night to make this city his home as he resumes his work here this morning. A host of true friends and acquaintances in this city will give to Richmond a cordial welcome.

County Attorney Oak McKenzie returned Saturday morning from Houston, Lufkin and Rosenberg, where he spent Wednesday, Thursday and Friday on legal business.

County Agent C. L. Benson went to Millican this afternoon on duty in connection with his work.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cole, and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Brayton spent Friday and Saturday in Houston, returning home on Sunday morning.

Judge and Mrs. H. O. Ferguson spent Saturday in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Conway and daughters, Miss Edith and Louise of Steep Hollow were in town today.

Emmett Holland, W. C. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Henry and John Thompson of Edge were in Bryan today.

Mrs. L. H. Tucker is in Houston for a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Herbert Manton.

Mrs. L. S. Randolph of Ft. Worth returned home this noon after a visit to her sons, H. E. Randolph and family, and Buster, who is attending A. and M. College.

S. C. Hoyle returned Sunday morning from Smiley, Columbus and Eagle Lake, where he had been in the interest of the A. and M. College Extension work.

Secretary S. E. Eberstadt is home from his trip to Palestine, Longview and Jefferson.

Rev. C. E. Bullock of Hearne has returned home after a visit to his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Bullock.

W. W. Chambers returned this morning from Cameron where he went to spend Sunday with Mrs. Chambers and baby, Caroline, who are visiting Caroline's grandparents.

(From Saturday's Daily)

J. A. Rycklik, P. S. Mangum, John Rycklik and Willie Hare drove in from Edge this morning on business.

Prof. W. G. Colson of the Tabor school came in to Bryan this morning with H. D. Cuykendall of the Bryan Eagle.

Mrs. Waller T. Burns of Houston will arrive tomorrow for a visit to her mother, Mrs. M. H. James and other relatives.

Colbert Held, son of Dr. and Mrs. John A. Held has a well developed case of measles this morning.

Mrs. W. B. Bizzell has as her guest her sister-in-law, Mrs. Grover Sangster of Houston. Mrs. Sangster came to College from Navasota, where she had been to attend the Howell-Emory wedding.

Roy Delano of Orange returned home today after attending the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. H. H. Prager.

Mrs. R. M. Brown and little son, Robert, Jr., of Houston, returned home today after attending the funeral of Mrs. H. H. Prager.

Joe Howard, employee of the Haswell Book Store, returned today from Houston, where he has been serving on the Federal grand jury for the past week.

General H. B. Stoddard was on the streets this morning for the first time for some week, having been confined at home with flu. General Stoddard was receiving a cordial welcome and the glad hand from his many friends.

M. B. Easters of Kurten returned today from Houston where he has been for the past week serving on the grand jury.

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